

GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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DETOUR PUBLIC INFORMATION OPEN HOUSE SCHEDULED FOR TUCKER RD.

VALDOSTA, GA – The Georgia Department of Transportation announces a public information open house detour meeting to discuss the detour routes for the Tucker Rd. bridge replacement project. The open house is scheduled from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m., Thursday, August 27.

This open house format meeting will be held at the Georgia Department of Transportation Area Office in Valdosta, located at 1411 Madison Hwy. Georgia DOT Engineers will be available to discuss the detour routes. There will be no formal presentation.

Anyone unable to attend the public information open house detour meeting may send comments on the detour and project to Glenn Bowman, Georgia DOT, 3993 Aviation Circle, Atlanta, GA, 30336. All comments will be considered and must be received by September 7. After the open house, detour route plans can be viewed at the Georgia DOT Area Office located at 1411 Madison Hwy. in Valdosta or at the Georgia DOT District Office located at 710 West 2nd St., Tifton, GA.

After the meeting, the plans will be available on the DOT website at www.dot.ga.gov. On the home page choose "Information Center" then Public Outreach" and select the project's county and choose "Go". A list of DOT projects in that county will appear and you can select the one you'd like to view.

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